Feedback and Map Tracings from Task Force Break-Out Groups

Herndon-Monroe Station Area

Reston Master Plan Special Study

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Reston Master Plan Special Study Herndon-Monroe Area Task Force Meeting

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I. Introduction

On Tuesday, June 1, 2010, the Reston Master Plan Special Study Task Force held a meeting at Lake Anne Community Center.

As a part of the meeting, Task Force members were divided into three smaller groups. Section II of this compilation contains a summary of all 3 sets of vision statements and the top opportunities for 1) *accessibility and connectivity* and 2) *development patterns* recorded during the small group discussions.

In addition, each group participated in a 2 dimensional visualization exercise that allowed them to sketch out various geographical and infrastructure ideas onto tracing paper superimposed on an aerial map of the Herndon-Monroe Transit Area. The maps follow the supporting vision and top opportunities comments for each group.

Reston Parkway Station Area Community Workshop Reston Master Plan Special Study Break Out Group – "Art Murphy"

Group: Art Murphy

Vision

N/A

Accessibility and Connectivity

- 1. Recommend Task Force member caucus with Herndon Town Council to provide incentives for higher density on Herndon side of metro station parking facility/TOD
- 2. Mixed use development opportunities on Reston side.
- 3. Bicycle/pedestrian pathways along Toll Road and Sunrise Valley

Development Patterns

- 1. Incentives for mid-rise conservation residential development around wetland.
- 2. Protect "wet lands"?? (Is the tail wagging the dog? Is this a red herring? Example: Reston Petting Zoo)



Reston Parkway Station Area Community Workshop Reston Master Plan Special Study Break Out Group – "Rae Noritake"

Group: Rae Noritake

Vision

Mixed use and residential while keeping special characteristics of this area.

Accessibility and Connectivity

- 1. Preserve wetlands/green spaces
- 2. Take advantage of large redevelopable sites. Street grid if possible
- 3. Link to Herndon

Development Patterns

- 1. Alternate ways into and exiting station that are non from Sunrise Valley
- 2. Future cycle and pedestrian pathways and links
- 3. Internally focused on wetlands. Own the park.



Reston Parkway Station Area Community Workshop Reston Master Plan Special Study Break Out Group – "John Carter"

Group Identifier: John Carter

Vision

Establish LEED demonstration neighborhood that preserves the wetlands, expands tree canopy and increases bike/pedestrian connections while transforming the area into a walkable mixed use community.

Accessibility and Connectivity

- 1. East-West vehicular, bike, pedestrian access from Centerville Rd to Fairfax County Parkway
- 2. Station connectivity to Herndon and north side of Toll Road
- 3. Parking and kiss-n-ride on north side (Herdon). Convert subsidized parking at station to parking support mixed-use development.

Development Patterns

- 1. Use wetlands as feature
- 2. Add residential along Sunrise Valley as buffer to Polo Fields community.
- 3. Concentrate development to within ½ mile. Keep development low at the edges.
- 4. Serious consideration of high-density mixed-use around station on air rights.

